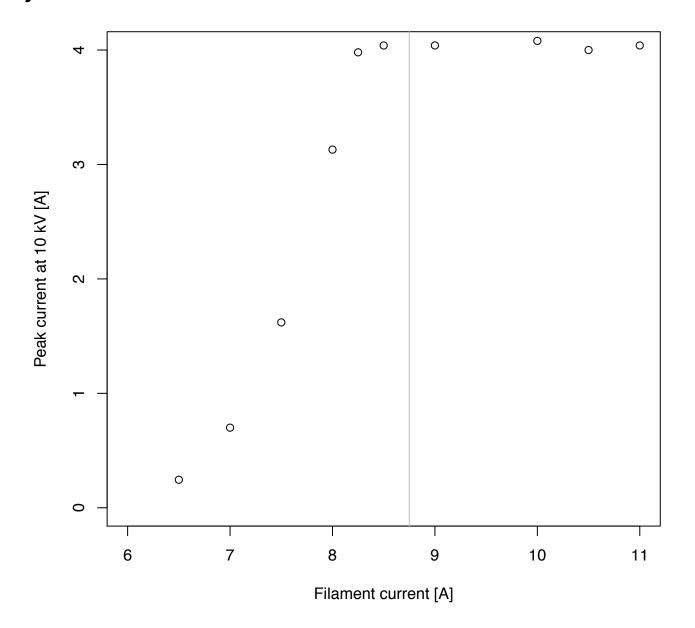
Performance of the new 1-in hollow gun

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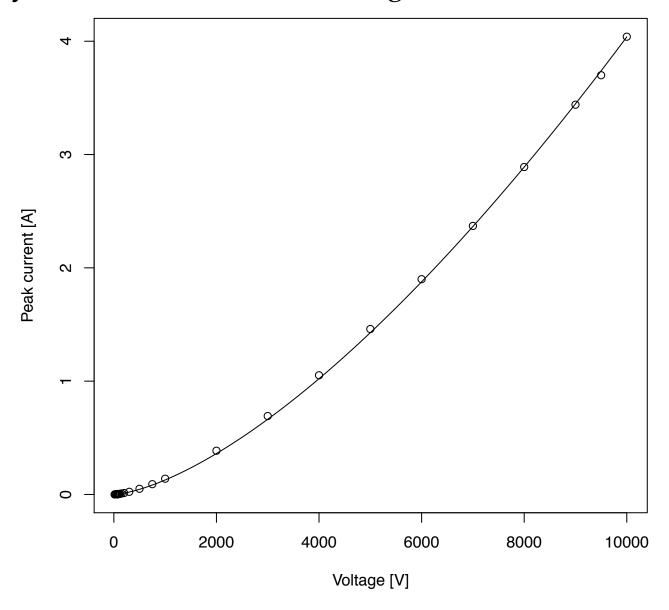
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Measured yield as a function of heater current



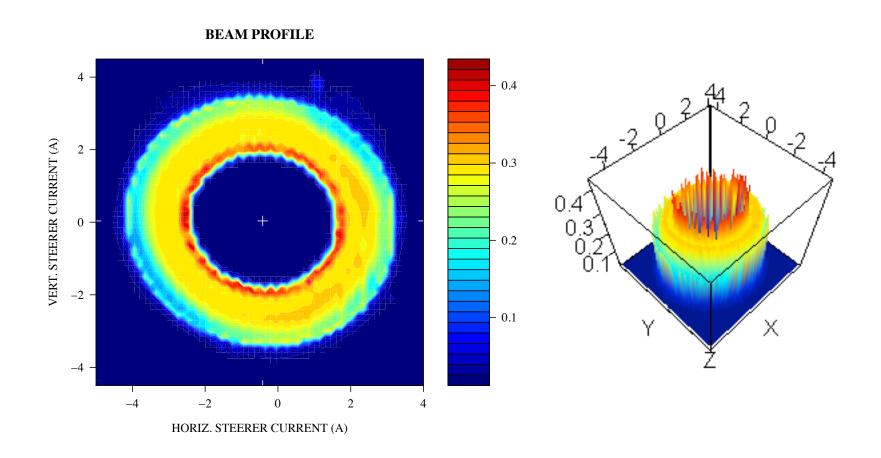
Chosen set point of 8.75 A, 9.1 V

Measured yield as a function of voltage



Microperveance is 4.0 (6.3 from SAM calculation - geometry?)

Measurement of transverse profiles as a function of voltage (current) and magnetic field is under way



BEAM CURRENT [A] 0.01 0.1 0.5 2 3 0 4 0.4 - 0.4 0.3 0.3 MAGNETIC FIELD [T] 0.2 - 0.2 0.1 -- 0.1

2

3

CATHODE VOLTAGE [kV]

5

6

7

8

- 0.0

10

9

0.0 -

0

0.2

0.5

Comments:

- power needed to reach operating temperature is lower than expected from extrapolation of 0.4-in Gaussian and 0.6-in hollow guns. Pessimistic extrapolation? Better heat shields?
- perveance is lower than design. It may be increased by adjusting the distance between cathode and anode.
- understanding of evolution of profiles with current and magnetic field needs work. Probably OK at 3 T.